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FROM: Bruce A. Chernof, M.D.)  
Acting Director and Chief Medical Officer

SUBJECT: **UPDATE ON SHRINERS HOSPITAL INTEREST IN LAC+USC  
CAMPUS LOCATION**

This is to provide you with updated information to my correspondence dated March 24, 2006, specifically with respect to the expressed interest by Shriners Hospital to co-locate its new hospital on the campus of LAC+USC.

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Since this correspondence the Department has received a letter from Shriners Hospital that more specifically addressed its interest in pursuing a possible co-location arrangement at the LAC+USC campus. Shriners expressed its interest in possibly negotiating either a sale or a 99-year ground lease for the parcel located at Marengo and State Street.

The Department plans to arrange a meeting with the CAO and Shriners Hospital, to discuss this issue. I will keep the Board apprised of any new developments.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know.

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